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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$476.
  - \$396 for 44 total claims over 20.
  - \$80 for 2 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 896.**

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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 Serial No.: 09/900,743 Examiner: Unknown  
 Filed : July 6, 2001  
 Title : SURFACE-MICROMACHINED PRESSURE SENSOR AND HIGH  
 PRESSURE APPLICATION

**BOX MISSING PARTS**

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR §1.53(b) mailed August 27, 2001 (copy enclosed), applicant as a small entity submits herewith the following:

- Payment of the basic filing fee of \$370;
- Payment of the additional/multiple dependent claims fees of \$480;
- Check in payment of \$65 surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application;
- A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status;
- Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63;

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

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- A verified English translation of the application and payment of the \$0 fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(k); and
- Other:

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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